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**THE OFFICE OF PARTNERSHIPS AND GRANT SERVICES HAS RELOCATED TO
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UPDATE Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC). The Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC) registration form is now live on OPGS' website. The GIRC provides technical assistance and information about resources that improve community services in the District of Columbia for its "customers" -District government, nonprofit, and faith-based representatives. The primary focus is to assist customers who either lack computer access or the knowledge to best use their existing computer technology to strengthen their organizations. The GIRC is open Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and 2 p.m.-4 p.m., by appointment only. For additional information call 202-727-8900. **You can use the following link to schedule an appointment online for the GIRC**
<https://docs.google.com/a/dc.gov/spreadsheet/viewform?formkey=dF81dmswMVB4Q01xbkVqbG5URXhyeGc6MQ#gid=0>

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT. The Office of Partnerships & Grant Services (OPGS) is excited to announce the launch of its new website. OPGS' website has moved from an antiquated platform to a new, easier to use platform that provides a more citizen centric design, with a contemporary look and feel that visitors should experience when coming to a District website. The change of platform does not affect OPGS' website address; you can still find OPGS at www.opgs.dc.gov. To view the current and previous editions of the Funding Alert, please follow this link – [Funding Alert](#) on the website.

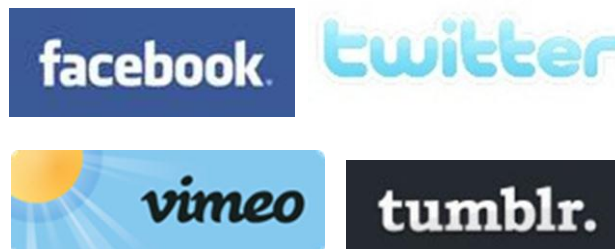
Funding Alert: If you would like to post an announcement in the Funding Alert, contact Pat Henry at pat.henry@dc.gov. All back issues of the funding alert can be found at www.opgs.dc.gov.

District Grants Clearinghouse: District agency grant opportunities are listed in the Funding Alert. These opportunities can be found on the Office of Partnerships and Grant Services website at www.opgs.dc.gov. All information that should be posted to the Clearinghouse should be sent to dcgrants@dc.gov.

State Single Point of Contact (SPOC): The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the DC SPOC. The application is available online on OPGS's website at www.opgs.dc.gov select State Single Point of Contact. If you need additional information call (202) 727-0946.

Contracting Opportunities with the District of Columbia Government: If you are interested in business/contracting opportunities with the District of Columbia Government visit the Office of Contracts and Procurement website at www.ocp.dc.gov and follow these instructions: click on "Solicitation"; click on "List All Opportunities" and finally click on "Electronic Solicitations". For additional information contact Ajaya.Damireddy@dc.gov

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Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

Electronic Grants Clearinghouse

The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the clearinghouse for the Government of the District of Columbia's grant programs. Notices and application packets are available for the following notices at:

<http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse> .

District Agency	Funding Opportunity	Deadline
Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development	H Street, NE, Retail Priority Area Project Grant	April 22, 2013
Department of Health	Ryan White HIV/AIDS Treatment Extension Act of 2009 Part A & B	May 23, 2013
Office of the Chief Technology Officer	DC – State Broadband Initiative Subgrant	May 6, 2013
District Department of the Environment	Environmental Education Programs in the District of Columbia	April 19, 2013
	Demonstration Of Innovative Green Practices	April 29, 2013
Child and Family Services Agency	Planning Grant for Intergenerational Housing	April 30, 2013
Office of the State Superintendent of Education	School Improvement Grant (SIG) Program	April 30, 2013

Additional Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

Crime Victim Assistance Grant Program (OVS). Office of Victim Services announces funds to support programs that will improve the treatment of victims of crime by providing victims with the assistance and services necessary to speed their restoration after a violent criminal act, and to support and aid them as they move through the criminal justice process in the District of Columbia. The Request for Applications will be available electronically Tuesday, April 30.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
 Deadline: 5/31/2013
 Contact: Daniza Figueroa at (202) 442-4936 or Daniza.Figueroa@dc.gov
 Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>
 Grant ID: GD4983

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LOCAL Appropriation (LOCAL) (OVS). *Office of Victim Services* announces funds to sustain and/or expand the provision of direct services to victims of violent crime. The Request for Applications (RFA) will be available electronically on April 30, 2013

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations and community-based organizations
Deadline: 5/31/2013
Contact: Daniza Figueroa at (202) 442-4936 or Daniza.Figueroa@dc.gov
Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>
Grant ID: GD4986

Sexual Assault Services Formula Grant Program (SASP) (OVS). *Office of Victim Services* announces funding to assist in the support of rape crisis centers and other nonprofit, nongovernmental organizations that provide core services, direct intervention and related assistance to victims of sexual assault. The Request for Applications (RFA) will be available electronically beginning April 30.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations and community-based organizations
Deadline: 5/31/2013
Contact: Kelley Dillon at (202) 727-3934 or Kelley.Dillon@dc.gov
Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>
Grant ID: GD4987

The Services*Training*Officers*Prosecution (S*T*O*P) Violence Against Women (OVS). *Office of Victim Services* announces funds to support collaborations between members of law enforcement, prosecution, courts, and victim service agencies to address the issues of domestic violence, stalking, sexual assault and dating violence within the District of Columbia. The Request for Applications will be available electronically beginning Tuesday, April 30.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, community-based organizations and DC government agencies
Deadline: 5/31/2013
Contact: Kelley Dillon at (202) 727-3934 or Kelley.Dillon@dc.gov
Website: <http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse>
Grant ID: GD4984

Federal Opportunities

Assets for Independence Demonstration Program (HHS). *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to support programs that will develop an approach that will enable individuals and families with low incomes to become and remain more financially stable over the long term.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, special district governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations and DC government agencies
Deadline: 5/24/2013
Funds: \$15,000,000 available for 50 awards up to \$1,000,000 and a match is required.
Contact: J. Janelle George at (866) 778-6037 or info@IDAresources.org

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Website: www.grants.gov

State Single Point of Contact: This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgs.dc.gov/spoc.asp> for further information.

Grant ID: GD4970

Face Forward Serving Juvenile Offenders (DOL). *Department of Labor* announces funds to support programs to improve the long-term labor market prospects of both court involved youth prior to adjudication and juvenile offenders utilizing a strategy where they collaborate with non-profit legal services providers to assist participants with expungement actions, and/or be designated by the juvenile justice system as a diversion program.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 4/10/2013

Funds: \$26,000,000 available for 26 awards up to \$1,000,000

Contact: Mamie Williams at (202) 693-3341 or williams.mamie@dol.gov

Website: www.grants.gov

Grant ID: GD4966

Homeless Veterans Reintegration Program (DOL). *Department of Labor* announces funds to support programs that will provide services to assist in reintegrating homeless veterans into meaningful employment within the labor force, and to stimulate the development of effective service delivery systems that will address the complex problems facing homeless veterans.

Eligibility: City or township governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations, for-profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 5/3/2013

Funds: \$5,000,000 is available for 16 awards up to \$100,000

Contact: Cassandra Mitchell at (202) 693-4570 or mitchell.cassandra@dol.gov

Website: www.grants.gov

Grant ID: GD4965

National Girls Institute (DOJ). *Department of Justice* announces funds to support the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention's National Girls Institute to advance the understanding and application of promising and evidence-based prevention, intervention, treatment, and aftercare programs and services for at-risk and juvenile justice- involved girls.

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations other than small businesses and small businesses

Deadline: 5/30/2013

Funds: Awards available up to \$500,000

Contact: Justice Information Center at (877) 927-5657 or JIC@telesishq.com

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Website: www.grants.gov

Grant ID: GD4967

Refugee Home-Based Childcare Microenterprise Development Project (HHS). *Department of Health and Human Services* announces funds to support programs that will assist primarily refugee women in becoming economically self-sufficient by providing home-based child care services.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, public housing authorities, private institutions of higher education, community-based organizations, DC government agencies and Local Educational Agencies

Deadline: 5/21/2013

Funds: \$2,225,000 is available for 13 awards up to \$200,000

Contact: Belay Embaye at (202) 401-4978 or belay.embaye@acf.hhs.gov

Website: www.grants.gov

State Single Point of Contact: This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to <http://opgs.dc.gov/spoc.asp> for further information.

Contact:

Grant ID: GD4976

Foundation Opportunities

Community Partnership Grant. *Bikes Belong Coalition* Announces funds to support programs that will foster and support partnerships between city or county governments, non-profit organizations, and local businesses and to improve the environment for bicycling in the community. Grants will primarily fund the construction or expansion of bicycle facilities such as bike lanes, trails, and paths as well as advocacy projects that promote bicycling as a safe and accessible mode of transportation.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, special district governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 5/24/2013

Funds: Awards up to \$10,000

Contact: Bikes Belong Coalition at grants@bikesbelong.org

Website: <http://www.bikesbelong.org/grants/apply-for-a-grant/who-can-apply/>

Grant ID: GD4969

Environmental Education Projects. *Project Learning Tree* announces funds to support of environmental projects that demonstrate service-learning, exemplify student voice, involve at least one community partner, and can be completed within a year.

Eligibility: Independent school districts, nonprofit organizations and Local Educational Agencies

Deadline: 9/30/2013

Funds: Awards available up to \$1,000 and a match is required.

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Contact: Jackie Stallard at (202) 463-2754 or jstallard@plt.org
Website: <http://www.plt.org/>
Grant ID: GD4972

Animal Project Support, Capital, & Operations. *Bernice Barbour Foundation* announces funds to support animal programs focused on spay/neuter programs, one-time purchases to fulfill a need, expenses for ongoing programs, and facility upgrades.

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations and private institutions of higher education
Deadline: 7/31/2013
Funds: Awards available up to \$5,000
Contact: Bernice Barbour Foundation at (561) 791-0861
Website: <http://www.bernicebarbour.org/animal-welfare.html>
Grant ID: GD4981

Creating Financial Literacy. *United Methodist Women* announces funds to support programs that empower and educate their constituents through knowledge and development of financial literacy skills.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 6/3/2013
Funds: Awards available up to \$25,000
Contact: United Methodist Women Scholarships and Grants Committee at or grants@unitedmethodistwomen.org.
Website: <http://new.gbqm-umc.org/umw/give/grants/>
Grant ID: GD4975

Financial Education Programs. *Foundation for Financial Planning* announces funds to support programs that provide services to specific target audiences who are underserved by the market, in need of financial guidance, or in a financial crisis. Deadline for Concept Paper application is April 30.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 4/30/2013
Contact: James A. Peniston at (770) 938-1110 or jimp@foundation-finplan.org
Website: <http://www.foundation-finplan.org/displaycommon.cfm?an=4>
Grant ID: GD4968

Educational Gaming Programs for Youth. *Entertainment Software Association Foundation* announces funds to support programs that utilize technology or computer and video games to educate America's youth and young adults, ages 7-18.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 5/14/2013

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Contact: Entertainment Software Association Foundation at esafinfo@theesa.com
Website: <http://www.esafoundation.org/application.asp>
Grant ID: GD4977

Foundation Grant. *Baxter International Foundation* announces funds to support programs that expand or improve access to healthcare with a strong plan for sustaining the services or program beyond the term of the grant.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 6/14/2013
Contact: fdninfo@baxter.com
Website: http://www.baxter.com/about_baxter/sustainability/international_foundation/apply_for_grants_program.html
Grant ID: GD4980

Domestic Violence Shelter Grant Program. *Mary Kay Foundation* announces funds to support programs that assist survivors of domestic violence by operating emergency shelters.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 4/30/2013
Funds: Awards available up to \$20,000
Contact: Mary Kay Foundation at (877) 652-2737 or MKCares@marykayfoundation.org
Website: <http://www.marykayfoundation.org/Pages/ShelterGrantProgram.aspx>
Grant ID: GD4973

Support for Homeownership Initiatives. *Wells Fargo Housing Foundation* announces funds to support organizations that help create sustainable homeownership opportunities for low to moderate income families.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 4/30/2013
Funds: Awards available up to \$7,500
Contact: Wells Fargo Housing Foundation at (612) 667-5131 or
Website: https://www.wellsfargo.com/about/wfhf/homeownership_guideline
Grant ID: GD4974

Evidence-Based Childhood Obesity Programs. *Johnson & Johnson Community Health Care Program and Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health* announce funds to support programs that promote wellness and healthy lifestyle choices to prevent and reduce the impact of obesity in children between the ages of 8 and 12.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations
Deadline: 5/15/2013
Funds: Eight awards available up to \$200,000
Contact: Johnson & Johnson Community Health Care Program at (443) 287-5138 or jandj@jhsph.edu

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Website: <http://www.jhsph.edu/admissions/scholarships/institutional-scholarships/johnson-and-johnson/community-healthcare-organization>

Grant ID: GD4971

Innovative Approaches for Preventing or Treating Childhood Obesity. *The Safeway Foundation* announces funds to support interdisciplinary and collaborative programs that will have population-wide impact towards reducing childhood obesity.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations and community-based organizations

Deadline: 5/15/2013

Funds: \$2,000,000 available up to \$75,000

Contact: Felicia Gray at or Felicia.Gray@Safeway.com

Website: <http://www.safewayfoundation.org/get-funded/index.html>

Grant ID: GD4978

Introduce Underprivileged Children to Dance. *Dizzy Feet Foundation* announces funds to promote programs that provide dance education to children in low-income and disadvantaged communities in order to allow them to experience dance, educate them about the many styles of dance, and expose them to the lifelong benefits of dance.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, special district governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations, community-based organizations, DC government agencies, Local Educational Agencies and State Educational Agencies

Deadline: 8/30/2013

Contact: Dizzy Feet Foundation at info@dizzyfeetfoundation.org

Website: <http://dizzyfeetfoundation.org/community-programs>

Grant ID: GD4982

Services to Military Personnel and Families Grant. *MVAT Foundation* announces funds to support programs that provide services to promote and enrich the lives of active and retired military and their families.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 5/31/2013

Contact: Gayle Lee at or gayle@mvat.org

Website: <http://www.mvat.org/grants/>

Grant ID: GD4979

Additional Funding Resources and Announcements

13th Annual Public Private Partnership Conference. Join the Mayor's Office of Partnerships and Grant Services' (OPGS) and the Center for Nonprofit Advancement for the 13th Annual Public Private Partnership Conference. "Moving Forward – Building Greater Sustainability" on Friday, June 7, 8:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m. at the World Bank Preston Auditorium, 1818 H Street, NW, Washington, DC. This comprehensive day of learning and networking will connect you with leaders from across the region and resources to grow and sustain your nonprofit.

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Sessions will provide learning opportunities on a variety of topics including financial management, social media, and fundraising. To register visit <http://www.nonprofitadvancement.org/2013Conference>

Transportation for Elderly and Persons with Disability Program. The District of Columbia Department of Transportation (DDOT) invites interested non-profit organizations to apply for their 2013 Transportation for Elderly Persons and Persons with Disabilities (Section 5310 Program). The program provides financial assistance to non-profit organizations that include local or neighborhood based nonprofit organizations and religious or charitable organizations for the purchasing of vehicles and wheelchair equipment that can help them meet the transportation needs of elderly persons and persons with disabilities when transportation service is unavailable to meet these needs. Grant applications are due Friday, May 10th. 55 M Street, SE. To RSVP for more information, please contact Circe Torruellas of DDOT at 202-671-2847 or circe.torruellas@dc.gov

Effective Justice Initiatives Awards. Foundation for Improvement of Justice works to enhance local, state, and federal systems of justice by rewarding the accomplishments of innovative programs. Each year, awards of \$10,000 are provided to up to six nominees for justice-related programs that have proven to be effective and can serve as models for others. The award categories include the following: legal reform, crime prevention, child protection, speeding the process, effecting restitution, crime victims' rights, alternative sentencing, reducing recidivism, lowering the cost, and other significant efforts. The awards program is open to all individuals, programs, and organizations within the United States. The nomination deadline is May 15, 2013. For nomination guidelines visit <http://www.justiceawards.com/awards-program.html>

In-kind Musical Instruments Donations. The Fender Music Foundation is currently awarding acoustic guitars, electric guitars, acoustic-electric guitars, bass guitars and the equipment necessary to play these instruments. However, other traditional music instruments are sometimes available. Traditional instruments include string instruments, woodwind instruments, brass instruments, percussion instruments, keyboards, and voice. Please note that DJ equipment and computers are not available through The Fender Music Foundation. In-kind donations of up to eight instruments as well as musical equipment necessary to play these instruments to USA non-profit organizations and public schools that provide high-quality music instruction programs that fit into one of the following four categories: (a) in-school music classes in which the students make music; (b) after-school music programs that are not run by the school; (c) community music programs that offer music instruction to community members; or (d) music therapy programs in which the participants make the music. For more information visit <http://www.fendermusicfoundation.org/grants/grants-info/>

Previous Funding Resources and Announcements

Soul of the City (SOTC) Program. The Humanities Council of Washington, DC (HCWDC) is seeking applications for three grants to provide humanities programs for youth ages 14-19 in the District of Columbia, based on HCWDC's successful Soul of the City (SOTC) Program. HCWDC has presented SOTC for almost a decade to hundreds of young people. It emphasizes one of the Council's core beliefs that effective leadership can be cultivated through a curriculum that combines humanities concepts with skill building. SOTC encourages young people to view their city, their country and their world in new ways and prepares them for leadership. Each grant is \$10,000 and applications are due May 3. The HCWDC is providing a prospectus that will help potential grantees design a high quality humanities program that will; Use humanities ideas, disciplines and concepts to help youth understand themselves and the human experience, Provide tools to encourage youth to improve themselves and the world in which they live, and create confident, service-oriented leaders with increased communications and critical thinking skills. Funding for these grants is provided by the DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities. On April 22 at 6 pm a workshop will be held at the Humanities Council of Washington, DC located at 925 U Street, N.W. To register click <http://soulofthecitygrant.eventbrite.com>. For more information contact Mark Smith at msmith@wdchumanities.org.

The DC Community Heritage Project (DCCHP). DC Community Heritage Project grants up to \$2,000 for each project. DCCHP is a partnership between the Humanities Council, the DC Historic Preservation Office, DC Commission on Arts & Humanities and the Washingtonian Library. It is designed to provide funding and support to

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community leaders interested in preserving the history, architecture, and collective memory of their neighborhoods. The DCCHP is local history at a grassroots level, placing control of the narrative in the hands of those who create it. Applications are due May 3, 2013. For more information contact Mark Smith at msmith@wdchumanities.org. Attending one of the following workshops is recommended.

- [April 15, 2013 | 06:00 pm](#) DC Community Heritage Project Grant Workshop 3 to be held at the Woodridge Library located at 1801 Hamlin Street NE at 6pm
- [April 18, 2013 | 12:00 pm](#) DC Community Heritage Project Grant Workshop 4 to be held at the Historic Preservation Office located at 1100 4th Street, SW Suite 650 at 12pm
- [April 18, 2013 | 06:00 pm](#) DC Community Heritage Project Grant Workshop 5 to be held at the Historic Preservation Office located at 1100 4th Street, SW Suite 650 at 6pm

World Hunger Leadership Challenge. USA TODAY Charitable Foundation and the Lift a Life Foundation, with assistance from the Yum! Foundation. Grants totaling \$500,000 to teams of at least three students in grades 7-12 working together with non-profit organizations to implement creative, innovative, and effective service-learning projects that aim to solve hunger issues around the world. These grants are intended to encourage students to work as a team to help others in need. Deadline for applications is April 19. For more information visit <http://usatodayeducation.com/leadership/the-challenge/>.

Positive Exposures - Media Projects. Positive Exposure Foundation is awarding grants in the form of in-kind media services to non-profit organizations providing quality programs, services, or activities that address important community issues. The purpose of these grants is to help emerging charitable organizations show the world the amazing things they do by creating compelling media/documentary-style projects, free of charge. Through this grant program, Positive Exposures ultimately hopes to help non-profits expand their reach, educate the public, and increase their funding. Deadline to submit application is April 30, 2013. For more information visit <http://positiveexposures.org/our-mission/application/>

Do Something Award. Since 1996, DoSomething.org has honored the nation's best young world-changers, 25 years old and under. Do Something Award nominees and winners represent the pivotal "do-ers" in their field, cause, or issue. In 2013 five finalists will appear on the Do Something Awards on Vh1 and receive community grants, media coverage and continued support from DoSomething.org. The grand prize winner will receive \$100,000 during the broadcast. The deadline is April 15, 2013 by 5:00pm. For more information visit <http://www.dosomething.org/awards>.

Responsible Sports™ Community Grant. Liberty Mutual Foundation is awarding Grants of \$2,500 to USA non-profit youth sports organizations and educational athletic programs (e.g., teams and leagues) that promote the values of responsible sport parenting and/or coaching. The purpose of these grants is to encourage youth sports organizations to provide helpful advice and useful tools about responsible parenting or coaching that can be applied universally among young athletes both on and off the field. From now until May 31, 2013 community residents will help their local youth sports organizations win grants by completing a Responsible Sport Parenting or Coaching course and quiz and crediting it to them. For more information visit http://www.responsiblesports.com/community_grants/community_grant_details.aspx

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